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AMENDMENT

In response to the January 28, 2004 Final Rejection in this matter, the Applicant requests that the following remarks be considered and the following amendment be entered:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page two (2) of this letter.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this letter.